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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

In response to the Final Office Action dated December 29, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

- 1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 in response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2003.
- 2. Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. Applicants do not believe an extension of time is required. However, if an extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefor. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- 3. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. 1.16):

| CLAIMS AS AMEN | DED | | | | | |
|--|-----------|-------|-----------------|----------|----------------|--------|
| | Claims | | Previously Paid | Extra | at Rate of | Total |
| | Remaining | | | | | Fees |
| Total Claims | 25 | minus | 28 | 0 | at \$18 each = | 0.00 |
| Independent Claims | 4 | minus | 4 | 0 | at \$86 each = | 0.00 |
| First presentation of Multiple dependent claim | | | | \$290.00 | 0.00 | |
| SUB-TOTAL = | | | | | | 0.00 |
| Reduction by ½ for filing by a small entity | | | | | 0.00 | |
| TOTAL FEE = | | | | | | \$0.00 |

4. Constructive Petition: Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a constructive petition for extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)(3).

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